

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT OF)
VICTOR SEIN AS THE CO-INTERPRETER OF)
RECORD IN STATE VS. TA YOAT NI)
_____)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
No. 2004-152

State vs. Ta Yoat Ni is a high profile murder case involving a Burmese-speaking defendant who needs the services of a court interpreter and witnesses who also speak Burmese. The Court has requested a second Burmese language court interpreter for witness testimony during the trial. There is a scarcity of qualified Burmese language court interpreters in the state of Arizona. Mr. Sein is a highly qualified court interpreter who lives and works in California. In order to avoid delays in the process due to a less than adequate interpreter as well as a possible mistrial due to interpreting inadequacies,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Mr. Victor Sein, a contract Burmese-speaking interpreter, be assigned as the co-interpreter of record in CR 2002-013833.
2. Mr. Victor Sein be compensated at the rate of \$350 per day plus a per diem of up to \$50 (all receipts must be included with invoice).
3. Mr. Victor Sein be compensated at the rate of \$0.375 for mileage reimbursement to/from Arizona, not to exceed the amount of \$262.70.
4. Mr. Victor Sein be exempted from presenting proof of liability insurance while he carries out his duties as a court interpreter in this Court.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2004.

Eddward Ballinger
Associate Presiding Judge

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